Resolution

NO. 3612-04-2008

WHEREAS, in order to provide a more adequate facility to the traveling public, the City has requested that the State provide continuous roadway lighting on certain state roadways within the corporate limits of the City of Fort Worth;

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), acting for and on behalf of the Texas Transportation Commission, has agreed to construct continuous roadway lighting on Business 287 (Rosedale Ave.) from S. Main St. to S. Riverside Dr. as part of the roadway widening project; and

WHEREAS, TxDOT will submit plans for review of said continuous lighting system for approval by the City of Fort Worth; and

WHEREAS, TxDOT requests that the City of Fort Worth assume the maintenance and operating cost of said lighting system once completed;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WORTH, TEXAS:

The City Manager or his designee is authorized to execute an agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation for the construction, maintenance and operation of the continuous roadway lighting system along Business 287 (Rosedale Ave) from S. Main St. to S. Riverside Dr.

Adopted this 8th day of April 2008.

ATTEST:

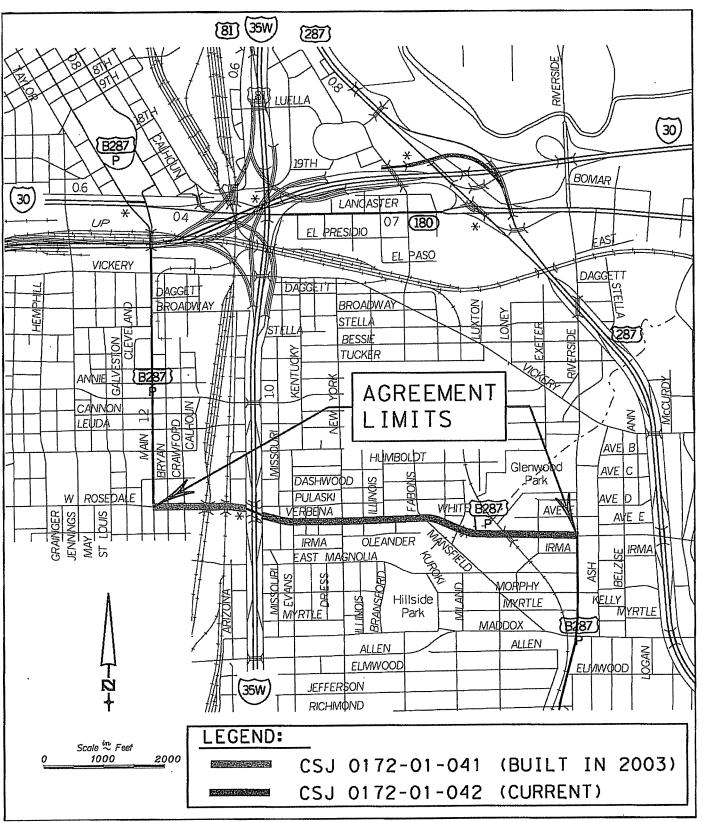
By:

Marty Hendrix, City Secretary

APPROVED CITY COUNCIL

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City Secretary of the City of Fort Worth, Texas



City of Fort Worth, Texas Mayor and Council Communication

COUNCIL ACTION: Approved on 4/8/2008 - Res. No. # 3612-04-2008

DATE: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 **LOG NAME:** 20EROSEDALELG

REFERENCE NO.: **C-22745

SUBJECT:

Adopt a Resolution Authorizing Execution of an Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation for Construction, Maintenance and Operation of the Continuous Lighting System Along Rosedale Avenue from South Main Street to South Riverside Drive

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the attached resolution authorizing the execution of an agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for construction, maintenance and operation of the continuous lighting system along Rosedale Avenue from South Main Street to South Riverside Drive.

DISCUSSION:

TxDOT has requested the City to enter into an agreement to operate and maintain the roadway lighting on Rosedale Avenue from South Main Street to South Riverside Drive. This section of Rosedale Avenue is also known as Business 287.

TxDOT will be installing roadway lighting along the median of Rosedale Ave. from S. Riverside Dr. to the South Freeway (IH-35W) as part of the widening project currently under design. Roadway lighting was installed in the median from South Freeway to South Main Street as part of the first Rosedale Avenue widening project.

The agreement provides that TxDOT will install the lighting as part of the roadway work and TxDOT will legally still retain ownership of the lighting, but that the City will operate and maintain the lighting. The City will be responsible for the cost of electricity, as well as labor and material cost to maintain the roadway lighting.

The agreement will remain in effect for two years and will be automatically renewed for successive two-year periods unless modified by mutual consent.

This agreement will add approximately 92 new street lights at an annual maintenance cost of \$54.92 per light to the operating budget for a total cost of \$5,055.40 per year. The estimated annual electric power cost is \$18,000.

This affects COUNCIL DISTRICTS 8 & 9.

FISCAL INFORMATION/CERTIFICATION:

The Finance Director certifies that this action will have no material effect on City funds at this time. Maintenance and operation expenses will be budgeted in future years operating budgets.

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TO Fund/Account/Centers

FROM Fund/Account/Centers

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